

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicants: Sudhir R. BRAHMBHATT  
Application No.: 10/779,828  
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Title: Oxygen-Assisted Fermentation Process  
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Examiner: Deborah K. WARE  
Docket No.: MG US1 (22-234)  
Customer No.: 40582

**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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Sir:

In response to the non-final Office Action mailed July 22, 2010, having a shortened statutory period for response set to expire on October 22, 2010, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of the present application in view of the following amendments and/or remarks:

**Amendments to the Specification** are not included in this paper.

**Amendment to the Claims** begin on page 1 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 2 of this paper.